

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

BOBBY D. COLBERT,

Petitioner,

v.

JASON BENNETT,

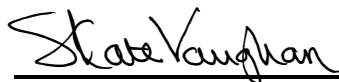
Respondent.

Case No. C24-1439-DGE-SKV

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION  
TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

This is a federal habeas action filed under 28 U.S.C. § 2254. Petitioner has submitted an application seeking leave to proceed with this action *in forma pauperis*. Petitioner's application demonstrates that he is unable to afford the \$5.00 filing fee. Petitioner's application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, Dkt. 1, is therefore GRANTED. The Clerk is directed to file Petitioner's petition for writ of habeas corpus without the prepayment of fees. The Clerk is further directed to send a copy of this Order to petitioner.

Dated this 16th day of September, 2024.



S. KATE VAUGHAN  
United States Magistrate Judge